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In re Application of:)
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Serial No.: **09/922,011**) **Art Unit: 1647**
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Filed: **August 2, 2001**)
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For: **Rapid Panel of Biomarkers in Laboratory**)
Blood Tests for TIA/Stroke)

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND ELECTION OF SPECIES

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

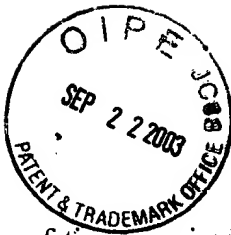
Sir:

In response to the Office Communication mailed in the above application on May 22, 2003, and in further response to the Restriction/Election requirement mailed on December 26, 2002, Applicant hereby elects for prosecution the following species:

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Applicant trusts that this communication is fully responsive to the pending Restriction/Election requirement, and apologizes for the confusion created from its previous incomplete response. Should the Examiner have any further questions concerning this matter, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at 404-572-3513.

A petition for a three-month extension extending the time within which to respond to September 22, 2003, is being filed concurrently herewith. Please grant any additional



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extension of time required to enter this response and charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-0980.

Respectfully submitted,

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